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### To Our Architect Friends

For Economy -

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For Unique Artistic Effects -

Specify Cabot's Creosote Shingle Stains

FOR ECONOMY: Paint prices are high. Stain prices are low; our Stains cost only 1/4 to 1/3 as much as paints. The cost of painting is very high; the cost of staining is still reasonable, for Stains can be applied much faster than paints and less skill is required.

FOR WOOD PRESERVATION: Creosote is the best wood preservative known, and Cabot's Creosote Stains contain from 60% to 90% of it. They will generally double the life of shingles or woodwork.

FOR BEAUTY: The beauty of the grain, and texture of the wood, is brought out to its fullest extent by Cabot's Creosote Shingle Stains. They act on the wood as dyes do on cloth, coloring it in rich, lively colors.

FOR SIDING AND CLAPBOARDS: In addition to their universal use on shingles, our Stains make excellent finishes for clapboards, sidings, and other smooth wood surfaces, particularly in these days when paint is so expensive. The modern trend is towards stained smooth surfaces, and many architects are specifying our Stains regularly for jobs of this sort.

FOR COLOR CHOICE: 21 shades in our Creosote Stains give you a greater variety than any other manufacturer offers. You can satisfy your most exacting clients with Cabot's Stains.

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FOR UNIQUE ARTISTIC EFFECTS: We make several special Stains that produce attractive effects not obtainable with any other material. These unique finishes include:

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| Cabot's Weathering Gray Stains        | ) | For producing the old-fashioned weathered silver gray appearance.    |
| Cabot's #241 Creosote Bleaching Oil)  |   |                                                                      |
| Cabot's #230 Colorless Creosote       | - | For preserving wood without changing its color.                      |
| Cabot's #325 California Redwood Stain | - | For maintaining or restoring the beautiful color of natural Redwood. |

A color card of these special Stains is enclosed, with descriptions and outline specifications on the back.

If you would like liquid samples or further information please write us.

We hope to have the privilege of filling your orders and specifications.

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# Unique Finishes for Architects in Cabot's Creosote Shingle Stains

On shingles, clapboards and siding these Stains produce attractive artistic effects that can be obtained with no other materials.

## Cabot's Weathering Gray Stains



No. 344 SILVER GRAY



No. 343 MEDIUM GRAY



No. 345 SMOKE GRAY

## Other Stain Specialties



No. 241 BLEACHING OIL



No. 230 COLORLESS CREOSOTE



No. 325 CALIFORNIA REDWOOD

*Please see the back of this color card for complete information about these Stains.*

Our Creosote Shingle Stains are also made in a wide range of Browns, Greens, Reds, etc. Please write us for a complete color card.

# Cabot's Creosote Shingle Stains

The chips on the front of this card show the unique effects that can be obtained with some of our Creosote Shingle Stains. In the case of the Weathering Grays and No. 241 Bleaching Oil, the chips show the approximate appearance of these stains on Red Cedar shingles after six months exposure. The chip for No. 230 Colorless Creosote shows the appearance of this material on untreated Red Cedar shingles, while the chip for No. 325 California Redwood shows the effect of this material on Redwood. All these stains can be used on all types of woods but the effects produced will vary somewhat with the nature and texture of the wood.

## Cabot's Weathering Gray Stains

These Stains show very remarkable properties under exposure. In a few months they produce the attractive, old-fashioned, weather-beaten effects that are typical of old New England houses, and that it takes years to acquire otherwise. They do not give this result immediately but the shingles will gradually take on a mellow weather-beaten appearance, and in six months the full weathering effect will be developed.

## Cabot's No. 241 Creosote Bleaching Oil

Our Bleaching Oil gives a delicate gray tone when first applied. During a few months' exposure it gradually changes the yellowish color of raw shingles to a beautiful, natural silver gray. The effect of Cabot's Bleaching Oil is identical with that of nature, but nature requires many years, while our Bleaching Oil gives this effect in six months.

Cabot's Bleaching Oil prevents decay, mildew and the consequent blackening of the shingles. It is an ideal finish for shingles, clapboards, siding, and for any exterior wood surface, where a weathered gray appearance is desired.

## No. 230 Colorless Creosote Stain

For those who wish to preserve their shingles without changing their natural color, we recommend our No. 230 Colorless Creosote. This is a clear, refined wood-preserving Creosote Oil, carefully blended with the necessary fixative. It protects and preserves the shingles without altering their color. It can be used on new or old shingles.

## No. 325 California Redwood Stain

This Stain was developed in cooperation with the California Redwood Association and carefully formulated to meet their exacting standards. It is designed to preserve and maintain the attractive color of Redwood.

**Specifications** — Wall shingles [siding] [clapboards] [roof shingles] shall be stained with two coats of Cabot's No. 241 Bleaching Oil, [No. 230 Colorless Creosote] [No. 325 California Redwood Stain] [Weathering Gray Creosote Shingle Stains — color to be selected by the architect]. Surface shall be dry and clean before application. Stir stains thoroughly and keep stirred while using. If more than one package is needed, mix all together in one container. Do not thin. Apply with broad, flat brush, like paint or with spray machine. [Shingles shall be dipped before laying.] Allow 24 hours between coats.

**Covering Capacity** — On shingles and rough wood: one brush coat, 150 square feet per gallon. Two brush coats, 100 square feet per gallon. Hand dipping and one brush coat,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $3\frac{1}{2}$  gallons per square of 16 or 18 inch shingles, 2 to 3 gallons per square of 24 inch shingles. On smooth wood, 1 gallon covers 200 to 350 square feet, two coats.

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